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Offers Pouring In.

They Will Amount to $200,000,000. One New Yorker Wants The $50,000,000.

HE WILL APPLY IN PERSON.

The Plates Made—Bonds Will be Ready to Exchange for Gold by Feb. 1—Bailey's Resolution to be Reported.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Now that Secretary Carlisle has taken action on the bond question there is a feeling of relief among the treasury officials, who have been viewing with uneasiness the invading of the gold reserve. The printing will be pushed rapidly, but the bonds can hardly be ready for delivery before Feb. 1 They will bear interest from that date, as announced by Secretary Carlisle. Among the large crowd of callers waiting to see Secretary Carlisle was a New Yorker who had come to announce personally that he was willing to take the whole $50,000,000 in bonds to be issued. A request for his name was refused.

The aggregate amount of offers received before the circular was issued is $40,000,000. All of the offers so far made, it is said, at the treasury department have come from persons and firms in New York city. One offer to take $100,000 at $118 has been received It was announced at the treasury department that Secretary Carlisle would decline to make public the names of the patrons offering to take bonds, the amount they subscribed for or the figure they offered for them. To make public the figures, it was pointed out, would give late bidders an opportunity to offer better terms than those offered by the earlier bidders

It was said unofficially, however, that the $50,000,000 offer was the minimum premium of $117 223 There is said to be no liklihood of this or any similar offer being accepted, as it is contrary to the secretary's desire to make the loan a popular one to which the public generally may subscribe. On this theory it is proposed to encourage offers for small lots from all sections of the country rather than to have the entire loan taken by a few dealers in large blocks. The idea naturally includes the hope that the smaller denominations will be taken in preference to the larger ones. This, of course, would involve the issue of a great many more bonds. It is believed at the treasury department, from orders already received that the total offerings will aggregate nearly $200,000,000, and that the price will reach $120, making the bonds practically bear but 2 1-2 per cent interest. The issue for the present will be confined to denominations of $50 $100 and $1000 coupon bonds and $50, $100, $1000 and $10,000 registered bonds In case it is deemed advisable arrangements will be made for $500 coupon and $5000 registered bonds.

The plates for the new bonds were made at the bureau of engraving and printing last spring by order of Ex-Secretary Foster in anticipation of an issue of bonds during his administration, but the plan for their issue was finanly disapproved by President Harrison

The new issue of bonds will be sold only for gold. Official returns made to Comptroller Eckels by national banks on Dec 19 last show that the national banks of New York city alone hold more gold than the treasury of the United States, or rather that it contains "free gold." In the figures given gold certificates are included in the gold. The returns in the principal cities show: New York $83 600,000; Baltimore, $1,979,000; Brooklyn, $450,000, Washington, $900.000; Cincinnati, $1.200.000; New Orleans, $450,000; St Louis, $2.400,000; Kansas City, $1,015.000; Boston, $9.200,000; Chicago, 19,700,000; Philadelphia, $2.700,000; Louisville, 390.000; San Francisco, $1,336,000; Milwaukee, $900,000.

Treasury officials who have taken the trouble to search the records call attention to the fact that during the pendency of the Walker tariff in 1857 the revenues declined and a number of loans and bond issues were made to keep up current expenses and pay maturing bonds.

A report reached the capitol to day that the United States supreme court had enjoined the issue of bonds as proposed by Secretary Carlisle. Clerk McKenny of the court when informed of it said: "It's a fake pure and simple. There is not even a basis for such a story."

Secretary Carlisle's proposed sale of bonds has attracted widespread interest in congressional circles. Among the members of the house comment on the secretary's action varies greatly, The leading members of the judiciary committee are disposed to criticise the secretary's action in view of the fact that the senate has before it a resolution designed to prevent the issue of bonde. This opinion is largely confined, however, to men who are identified with the silver movement. Such well known anti-silver men as Gen. Tracy and Messrs. Ravner and Harter heartily approve the secretary's course.

Representative Holman, of Indiana, takes a decided stand against the bond issue. "It is absolutly certain," said he today, "that this government can get along without a dollar increase of bonded indebtedness. It can be done by reducing expenditures and by the additional revenues derived from the pending tariff bill. In my opinion no party in time of peace can successfully urge before the people an increase of the national debt and of our bonded indebtedness."

Representative Tracy, democrat of New York,—I have always favored a bond issue and hoped the secretary would act earlier. The house will sustain the secretary if the question arises, and it is not likely to arise, as the secretary's legal rights are unquestionable."

Representative Dingly, of Maine—"I have no doubt that the act of 1875 gives absolute authority to the secretary to issue bonds for the purpose of maintaining the gold redemption fund. I doubt, however, whether that act, properly construed, gives the secretary power to issue and sell bonds to pay the current expenses of the government. It seems to me that to accomplish the latter object it would be necessary to obtain additional legislation."

Representative Oates, of Alabama, opposed the issue of bonds. He said: "I think the people in this country is generally opposed to any increase of the public debt unless there is a great necessity for it, and I don't believe that in this instance such a necessity exists. To be sure money is needed, but there is no reason why the surplus silver should not be used. The purchase of silver has ceased and it may be accepted as settled that there is to be no further increase of silver money in this country for some time at least. But it certainly cannot be the purpose of the administration to abandon the silver we already have. The use of this silver surplus does not involve the question of free coinage or the continuous coinage of silver."

Representative Catchings, of Mississippi, said: "There appears to be a necessity which we cannot avoid. Mr Carlisle has given much more attention to the matter than I have and he knows just what the condition of the treasury is. I am perfectly willing to yield to his judgement as to the necessity of the issue of bonds and to sustain him in his action."

Representative Simpson said: "It's an infernal outrage and inexcusable. There is no reason why the administration cannot tide over an embarrassment in this matter of revenue and expenditure without paying interest on the loan. How? By issuing greenbacks, the same as was done in war times."

Representative Tom Johnson of Ohio, said that he did not like the idea of a bond issue, but that there was necessity for the money and he believed it better to borrow the money to meet a temporary dificit than it would be to fix a tax which would be practically permanent and which would pile up a surplus after the temporary strain had passed. "There is no doubt at all," he added, "about there being sufficient revenue raised from the revenue measures now under conideration, and it will be an easy matter to pay off those bonds."

Chairman Wilson, of the ways and means committee, said he had been so absorbed with the tariff pill that he had not been able to give thought to the bond question. He added: "The sale of bonds was a necessity and the secretary has done the right thing. There is I suppose, no serious contention that he has not the legal right to sell bonds. That was settled by the report made to the house at the last congress by Judge Culberson."

Bourke Cockran, also of the ways and means committee, said: "It was the only thing to do. A constantly increasing deficit meant the speedy insolvency of the treasury and that would be followed by universal bankruptcy. An empty treasury would cause a total suspension of credit and there would be no business transacted. The sale of bonds was the most practical manner of relief open to the treasury department."

BOND ISSUE COMMENTS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—The discussion over the proposition of secretry Carlisle to sell $50.000,000 of bonds to fill up to $100.000.000 of gold the fund set apart for the redemption of the $346.000.000 of legal tender greenbacks is the sole topic of conversation here. The extreme opponents are not at all moderate in their language and declare that Carlisle should be impeached and that he is in league with Wall street in a mammonth job for plundering the country. Every man in congress, who knows anything, knows that Carlisle has the power under the resumption act of 1875, and the act of 1882 to sell bonds to keep the resumption fund up to $100,000.000, but this makes no difference to those who are severely criticising him. The views of nearly every man is or is supposed to be the views of those who he represents or whose interests are for or against a bond issue.

BAILEY'S RESOLUTION.

WASHINGTON Jan. 18.—The sub-committee of the judiciary committee of the house to day ordered a favorable report on the resolution of Representative Bailey, declaring that the secretary of the treasury has no right to issue bonds The judiciary committee meets to-morrow, at which time Mr. Bailey will make the report and an effort to secure immediate action upon the report of the sub-committee. Even though the full committee adopts the report, the house cannot act upon it until after the tariff bill is disposed of.

The full text of the resolution as agreed to by the sub committee is as follows: Resolved, that it is the sense of the house of representatives that he secretary of the treasury has no authority under the existing law to issue and sell the bonds of the United States except such as is conferrrd upon him by the act approved Jan. 14th, 1875, entitled, "An act to provide for the resumption of specie payment," and that the money derived from the sale of bonds under that act cannot be lawfully applied to any other purposes except those specified therein.

For the Painters.

A celebrated London artist painted an exceedingly homely nobleman so true to the life that the nobleman refused to take the picture, declaring that it bore no resemblance to himself

The painter called in his attendant and requested the nobleman to make the statement again, which the nobleman did The painter then thanked him for rejecting the picture, "Because," said he, "I can get twice as much for it as you were going to pay me."

"How will you do that?" said the nobleman

'Oh, I will draw a tail to it and put it up in —'s art window as the picture of the devil."

The nobleman took the picture.

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He Took All The Shoes.

I know a funny story about a dog I have seen.

His master trained him to bring his shoes to him every day.

One day the gentleman went with his dog to a hotel where almost every man put his shoes outside his door to be blacked.

In the morning no one had a shoe.

The dog had carried every pair into his master's room and piled them up beside his bed.—New York World.

What Church.

A good lady writes to inquire what church we belong to?

We answer: (1st.) That we belong to "the Great Church of Humanity," which includes every church and every good man and woman in the world. (2nd.) That all the religious denominations have used us so kindly that we have nothing to say against any of them.

(3d.) That if she had asked what particular church we think the best we should have answered—"the church which is doing the most to hasten the coming of the millennium.—Geo. T. Angell, editor of "Our Dumb Animals."

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Many give time and money in the hospitals and elsewhere to the sick and suffering.

Many care for the insane, the aged, the feeble-minded, and the poor.

But while we recognize the importance of all these, it seems to us that nothing can be more important than to more humanely aducate the coming generations for all alleviation of every form of suffering, and the prevention of every form of cruelty and crime.

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Labor Department.

(FORT WORTH GAZETTE.)

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Gen. Weaver is speaking in Kentucky.

Hard times has closed 300 saloons in St. Louis.

The same law that makes millionaires makes millions of enforced idlers.

There is no more civilizing agency in existence than a good trades union.

The Salvation Army in New York fed freely 1500 unemployed in one day.

Six cents for four hour's work is all women get in some of our large cities.

"What to do with the unemployed" is a frequent subject of discussion in the great magazines.

Charitable help for the unemployed is falling off in many cities, while the needy are increasing.

The proposition "work or no meal ticket" has caused some of the ticketless tourists to leave Galveston.

Mr. Sovereign says the Knights of Labor will be more of a power in politics than it has ever been heretofore.

The New Nation strongly advocates co-operative organization of the unemployed under State supervision.

The death of James Buchanan at Indianapolis, Ind., removes one of the oldest and ablest labor leaders.

The very best service we can render is to help a man help himself. "God helps those who help themselves."

A vast amount of suffering is reported in New York among the poor tenants whom the landlords are evicting.

If tramps bother you blame yourself as a citizen for voting into existence the conditions that manufacture them.

DOMESTIC.

Colorado contains 41000 idle miners.

West Virginia miners are organized.

Over 1000 women are in the tailors' union.

Trouble is brewing in Iowa mining regions.

Akron, Ohio, has a reading room for the unemployed.

Women are taking the place of male waiters in St. Louis.

The Operative Plasters, union held its session at Detroit, Mich.

Cloak and suit cutters say that their trade is slowly improving.

The Brooklyn Central labor union can't get sufficient help for the poor.

The Dublin jute mills of New Jersey have closed and 1500 are out.

Union shirtmakers are locked out by Contractor Baum of New York.

STATE.

The single-tax men are stirring themselves in our seaboard city.

The colored longshoremen of Galveston are on a strike, which promises to continue for a long time.

It is a fact that the proposition "work or no meal" has caused some ticklish tourists to leave Galveston.

Hon. Evan Jones, ex president Texas State Alliance has just returned from Iowa, where he has been speaking. He looks well and reports the alliance in good condition up there.

At the recent mass meeting of populists at Montague, W. M. McKee was chairman. Reports from the county were read and resolutions strongly condemning the administration passed.

In New York there are institutions that supply fashionable people with clothing for their lap dogs, while in the same city there are over 250,000 human beings destitute of the bare necessities of life. Alas! our boasted civilization. —New Era.

HEAVEN.

A TRUE INCIDENT.

The lesson hour was nearly past
When I asked of my scholars seven,
"Now tell me each one please, in turn
What sort of place is heaven?"

"Oh, meadows, flowers and lovely trees!"
Cried poor little North-street Kitty
While Dorothy, fresh from country lanes,
Was sure 'twas "a great big city."

Bessie, it seemed, had never thought
Of the home beyond the river;
She simply took each perfect gift
And trusted the loving Giver.

Then up spoke Edith, tall and fair—
Her voice was clear and ringing,
And led in the Easter anthem choir
"In heaven they're always singing."

To Esther, clad in richest furs,
'Twas a place for "outdoor playing;"
But Bridget drew her thin shawl close
For "warmth and food" she was praying.

The desk-bell rang. But one child left
My sober, thoughtful Florry,
"Why, heaven just seems to me a place—
A place—where you're never sorry."
—Sunday School Times.

He Puzzled The Master.

An English schoolmaster once said to his boys that he would give 'a crown' to any one of them who would propound a riddle he could not answer.

"Well," said one of them, "Why am I like the Prince of Wales?"

The master puzzled his brains for some minutes for an answer but could not guess the correct one. At last he exclaimed, "I am sure I don't know."

"Why," replied the boy, "because I'm waiting for the crown."



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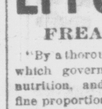
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Upon a bedroom chair.
—New York Press.

Though a woman can't drive a nail,
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In such a simple little act
As driving out a hen.
—Indianapolis Journal.

A GIANT struggle: Mitchell and Corbett against the state of Florida.

J. H. DAVIS spoke to a large audience at Van Alstyne last Monday.

BOTH wings of the Texas democracy are clamoring for harmony not principles; spoils not patriotism.

THE lower house of congress voted the sugar bounty out of the pending tariff bill last Monday.

ON the night of the 19th inst a severe storm swept over Dallas, which destroyed many buildings and killed one boy. Oak Cliff also suffered.

THIS (Thursday) morning's papers report that the Income Tax bill is before the house of representatives, creating a first class row.

THE local option contest at Hillsboro, Hill county, last Thursday, resulted in a victory for local option of about 80 majority.

AN article in the McKinney Examiner alleges that the pope of rome is a democrat. If this be true the Examiner should say further that Jefferson and Jackson were imposters.

WE have just read a novel, entitled, "The strike at Shane's," sent to us by Geo. T. Angell, of Boston, Mass., who is the editor of that splendid journal, entitled, "Our Dumb Animals." The novel is a sequel to "Black Beauty," and presents in a vivid manner the cruelty so often practiced on our dumb friends. Every man, woman and child, who will read this good book, cannot help but be inspired with a feeling of sympathy and thus become more humane towards the lower animals.

IN our issue of Jan. 11, 1894, we reproduced an article from the Greenville Independent, headed "A Witness Assaulted." In the article some derogatory remarks were made against Marshal Velvin and Policeman Luttrell of that city. A friend of the officers named above sends us word from that city, that certain charges in the article were untrue. It is the policy of THE DEMOCRAT to publish nothing that will do an injustice to anyone, and if the message sent us is true, we regret it very much. THE DEMOCRAT has no personal enemies upon which to wreak vengeance or favorites to shield from just punishment.

THE morning papers state that the Mitchell and Corbett fight will come off to day (Thursday) at Jacksonville, Fla. Judge Call granted an injunction restraining officers from interfering. Thus Governor Mitchell is compelled to stand and watch the march of civilization(?)

WHAT shall we do with our unemployed?--Waxahachie Mirror.

We answer, Bro. Middleton, that you should forsake the party upon whose altar you worship—one of the parties which turns its back and refuses to hear the cry of oppressed humanity, and joins the authors of plunder and greed. Nothing but government mis management in a land of plenty can cause the distress which now exists.

THE ninth annual report of the North Texas Hospital For The Insane for the year ending Oct. 31, 1893, is before us. It is neatly executed, giving a minute report of every department of this large institution In perusing the report we find that there has been 300 patients received during the year ending Oct. 31, 1893. Of this number nine were from Collin county. Of these 300 we note that 105 were farmers and 79 were farmers' wives, total 184. During the nine years existence of this institution there has been 2620 patients admitted. On Oct. 31, 1893 there were remaining 781, of which 102 were negroes. This institution is situated at Terrell.

A WORTHY TRIBUTE.

The Hon. J. H. Davis, perhaps the most distinguished populist in Texas gave us several pleasant calls this week. Cyclone Davis' fame and reputation is not confined to the Lone Star State, but is known from Maine to Mexico, from Maryland to California. He is a courteous gentleman, lawyer and politician, with a wonderful brain and preponderous head which makes him as sharp as a crosscut saw. He says that every thing is very auspicious for the triumph of his party, and claims that he can prove every plank in his platform by the teachings of Thomas Jefferson. He is one man who has few enemies even among those who differ from him in political opinion.— Sulphur Springs Gazette [Dem]

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We are also anxious to please at headquarters. If you are in need of information and cannot procure it readily of your nearest local agent, drop a line to the undersigned and we will do our best to answer it promptly.

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Alliance Department.

MRS. M. E. FORBES, EDITOR.

This week we assume the editorship of this column, devoted to the County Alliance work We do so with a feeling of deep responsibility of the magnitude of the work. Yet we feel it is a work which is a noble one and we thank those who voted us the honor. Everything that will assist in the dissemination of reform ideas is needed and we shall add our mite to the vast amount of literature now being placed in the hands of the voters of the nation. We shall endeavor to give you a readable column and assure you that any mistakes we make should be excused, as the editor of this column is most enthusiastic in supporting the reform movement. Earnestness covers a multitude of mistakes and we are certainly in earnest. Address all communications to Alliance Dep't. THE DEMOCRAT, McKinney, or Mrs. M. E. Forbes Allen, Texas.

Collin County Alliance

The Collin County Alliance met in regular quarterly session with Maxwell alliance near Plano on the 17th inst. There was a fair attendance and a most interesting meeting was held. On the evening of the 16th quite a number of delegates who had early, together with the citizens of the vicinity assembled at the school house and listened to one of those able and logical talks of Bro. C. A. McMeans of Denton county. The entire day of the 17th was taken up by the busines of the alliance. Among which was the adoption of a complete set of by-laws for the government of the county alliance.

A resolution of condolence and sympathy for the family and relatives of Bro. R. S. Sneed, lately deceased, was passed.

On the evening of the 17th, a large audience greeted Bro. McMeans, who made an excellent address upon the demands of the alliance. Judge J. H. Davis of Sulphur Springs, had been expected to be present and entertain the people, but was detained by the sickness in his family. On the following morning the alliance resumed business and Bro. McMeans exemplified the secret work of the order. A program for the next alliance was adopted, embracing the following discussion:

On transportation, Bros. Amos Skillman and J. Tucker; on finance, E. F. England and J. H. King. The following delegates were elected to represent Collin county at the district alliance to be held at Cold Springs in Grayson county on Jan. 23: J. Tucker, Solomon Dorn, S. L Bradshaw, E. C. Forbes, and F. M. Collinsworth.

A by-law having been passed creating the office of "official editor," whose duties are to edit an alliance column in our county paper. Mrs. M. E. Forbes was duly elected editor. The committee to secure the next state alliance in Collin county was continued with instructions to report at the April meeting. Cedar alliance four miles north west of Meritt was selected as the place of the next meeting.

NOTES.

We heard many favorable comments on Bro. McMeans' speech from outsiders.

The weather was fine and the the delegates seemed to enjoy the meeting greatly.

We shall always cherish a warm spot in our hearts for the people of Maxwell community, alliance and no alliance. For genuine southern hospitality, we don't think they can be surpassed.

Many expressions of sorrow were heard for the death of R. S. Sneed, ex-president of the county alliance. The order had few such men as Bro. Sneed.

R. T. Quisenberry, who has missed but one county alliance meeting since its organization, was on hand.

Amos Skillman took a prominent part in the discussion in his usual forcible and humorous manner.

M. N. Stroup makes an excellent presiding officer, his ruling being fair and strictly parliamentary.

The executive committee in its report commended highly the neat and business like manner in which the books of the secretary and treasurer were kept.

Don't Try to Cheat a Lawyer.

A young lawyer, just starting in his profession, hung out his sign in a Connecticut town where there was only one other lawyer, an aged judge.

A close fisted old fellow, thinking to get legal advice for nothing, called upon the young man, told him he was very glad that he had come into the town as the old judge was getting superannuated, and then contrived in a sort of neighborly talk to get some legal questions answered. Then thanking the young man, he put on his hat and was about to leave, when the young man asked if he must charge the advice, for which the fee was five dollars. The old fellow went into a violent passion, and swore he never would pay it. The young lawyer told him he would sue him if he didn't.

So the old fellow went down to see the judge, found him hoeing in his garden, and said: "That young scamp that's just come into town! I dropped in to make a neighborly call on him, and he charges me five dollars for legal advice."

"Served you right," said the judge; "you had no business to have gone to him."

"But have I got to pay it, judge."

"Of course you have."

"Well, then," said the man, "I suppose I must," and he started off.

"Hold on!" said the judge, "aren't you going to pay me."

"Pay you? What for?"

"For legal advice."

"What do you charge?"

"Ten dollars."

The result was that the old fellow had to pay five dollars to the young lawyer and ten dollars to the old one.

Populists Organizing.

MERITT, Tex., Jan. 19, 1894.

On the above date at Brushy camp ground, we had a grand speech by J. M Rollins, after which a people's party club was organized. J. H Watson was elected chairman and G. F. McElyea, sec'y. The Bonham, Fannin county, Texas resolutions were unanimously adopted by the body; then a subject was chosen for discussion at the next meeting. The subject chosen was the 'state bank question.'

The club meets on Friday night before the 1st. and 3d. Sundays in each month.

J. H. WATSON, Chairman. G. F. McELYEA Secretary.



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Just Rules of Trade.

What would the local merchants think if newspaper men of McKinney were to do their trading in surrounding towns and solicit ads from foreign merchants in competition with local trade? We imagine that they would not like it, even though some of them pretend not to believe in advertising.

On the other hand how is it when merchants patronize traveling advertising agents who carry their money away to spend in other places where they may live? Hundreds of dollars are spent in this way and by sending to foreign cities for printed matter, which could be executed in McKinney.

We should always remember that there is always two sides to a question, and it is a christian and moral duty to investigate, fairly both sides.

Reciprocity and not selfishness should rule.

Marriages and Deaths.

BETHANY, Tex., Jan. 21.
Editor Democrat.

Health is not very good here.

The very sad death of Mrs. W. S. Matthews occurred last Monday. She was one of our near neighbors until about two months ago, they moved to their home three miles west of McKinney. The deceased was the daughter of Billie Parker one of our alliance brothers. She was a devoted member of the C. P. church, a devoted wife and a kind and loving mother. She leaves behind a father and mother, a husband three little children and a host of friends to mourn her loss. We stood by with aching heart as we watched her body laid in its last resting place in the Bethany cemetery, and we realized that we had lost a good friend. We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

"And thou who, o'er thy friends low bier
Sheddest the bitter drops of rain,
Hope that a brighter, happier, sphere
Will give her to thy arms again."

"For God has marked each sorrowing day,
And numbered every secret tear,
And heaven's long age of bliss shall pay
For all his children suffer here."

The president of our alliance, T. B. Carroll, was happily united in marriage to Miss Eva Young last Thursday night. Rev. Morgan officiated. They were married at the home of the brides' mother. The guests present were as follows:

Jno. Young and his family, Misses Mattie and Effie Branch, A. A. Humphries, L. B. Garrison and wife, D. Garrison and wife, Mrs Bumgardner and family, Mr. Hick and family, Mr. Teel and family, Mrs Sarah Teel, J. T. Teel, Misses Annie McConnell and Annie Young, Master Henry McConnell, Mr. Geo. Young and family, Mr. Dennard and family, Prof. E. G. Howard and family, Rev. Morgan and family, Lee Stinchcomb, Mrs. Stinchcomb, Thos. Dole, Jno. Tindell, Mr. Bryant Carroll, Dolphus Carroll, Mr. B. C. Carroll and wife, Lillie Carroll, Jas. Spradley, Prof. C. F. Trotter, E. C. Forbes and wife. Immediately after they were married at 6 oclock the hungry guests partook of an elegant supper They were the recipients of many very handsome presents, among which was a handsome lamp, Jno. Young and wife; a castor, Geo. Wilkerson; a handsome glass set, A. A. Humphries; a cut glass fruit stand, Prof. Trotter; table scarf, E.C. Forbes and wife. We extend our congratulations to the happy couple. May their married life be as happy and as pure as they looked that night, is the wish of their friends.

Mr. Jeff Powell and Miss Lee Cuely were married at Mr. Will Carpenter's last Tuesday night by Rev Faulkner.

Rev. Faulkner preached an excellent sermon at Bethany last Sunday and Sunday night.

F. E. M.

Interesting Notes From Calamity City.

CALAMITY CITY, Jan. 23, '94.
Editor Democrat.

Health in this vicinity is only moderately good just now. Several of our citizens have been wrestling with la grippe.

The farmers are taking advantage of this beautiful weather and are preparing the ground for another crop.

We had a good rain last week, it was badly needed, for water was getting to be a "scace" article.

The school at this place is progressing nicely. We have been having some old time spelling matches, which are very interesting and instructive. The older heads are taking part and that is encouraging to the little folks. We like to see a lively interest manifested in the cause of education.

Our town is simply on a boom; two new dwellings just completed and one more being built.

The residence of Mr. W. A. Gray was burned last Wednesday morning about 3 o'clock. It is supposed to have caught from a lamp. All his kitchen furniture and provisions was burned, but the remaining part of his household furniture was saved. They deserve sympathy. Mr. Gray has a wife and eight little children, all of whom are girls except two. Mr. Gray has not been able to work any for about a year.

Mr. Clemmons and Miss Rosa Long, of Viney Grove No 2, were the guests of Miss Jimmie Stanford last Sunday evening. Come again we are pleased to have you with us.

Bro. Huddleson occupied the pulpit last Saturday night and Sunday. We are told that he preached to a large and attentive audience.

"There is a little blue-eyed stranger" stopping at the home of Mr. Robert Caldwell.

A pleasant smile plays over the countenance of our M. D now, for it was distressingly healthy until la grippe made its appearance.

Most of our people went to McKinney last Tuesday to hear Bro. Davis speak, and were sorely disappointed; but such is life. Appointments and disappointments go to make up the many varied pages of life's history.

It may be we are mistaken, but it seems to this scribe that the air is infected with an oder of nice wedding cake. Oh, my! It seems they are not waiting for leap year. We hope our friends will remember us and send us a nice slice of cake.

McKinney has the golden wing,
Farmersville has the flame.
Calamity City has no wing at all,
But it gets there all the same.

SCHOOL GIRL.

Installation.

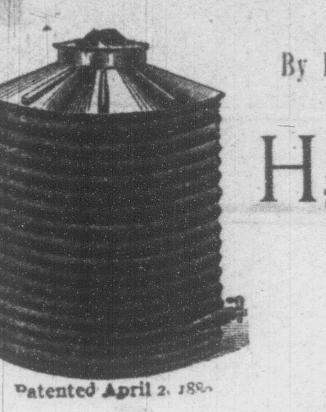
D. G. C. Burks installed the following officers of Defiance lodge No. 28, K. of P.:

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T. Z Dies,	V. C.
H R. Jeffries,	O.
O. A Houston,	K. R. and S.
T. D. Emerson,	M. of A.
R. B Davis,	M. of E.
Henry H. White.	M. of F.
M. E. Gerrish,	I. G.
T. H. Jones,	O. G.

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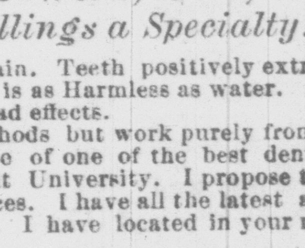
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"	"	"	3	"	10:59 a. m.
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"	South	"	2	"	8:14 a. m.
"	"	"	4	"	4:49 p. m.
"	"	"	14	"	9:28 p. m.

East Line Railroad.

Leaves..... 10:40 a m
Arrives..... 6:30 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS.

L. W. Mayhew will be with Wylie & Baldwin during 1894.

R. E. Bristol has been sick but is up at present writing.

R. D. Woodward, representing the Greenville Herald, gave us a pleasant call this week.

J. W. Walden, merchant from Wylie, was in McKinney last Tuesday.

Tom Perkins, of Wylie, came over to the hub this week.

Bishop Garrett, of Dallas, will conduct consecration services of the Episcopal church of McKinney next Sunday.

Little Ray, son of E. W. Kirkpatrick, fell one day last week, which resulted in disjointing one of his shoulders.

A little child of J. T. Nale received a severe wound on the wrist by an exploded cartridge which had been swept into the fire.

We are pleased to get a first class communication from Little Elm, Denton County, this week, which can be found elsewhere in this issue.

Last Friday night quite a large crowd enjoyed a social at S. D. Hattler's, eleven miles north east of McKinney.

Last Friday night a severe wind and rain storm struck this city. No material damage done.

We continne to get communications without the writer's name. Always send your name whether you want it published or not.

Mr. Morris Aron left yesterday for the North Eastern markets to place orders for a large supply of spring clothing and drygoods.

J. T. Howard, of Ada, I. T., is in McKinney, shaking hands with old friends. He renewe for THE DEMOCRAT, which he says is a welcome visitor to him.

Last Tuesday morning T. D. Emerson, owing to his increasing fire insurance business, took in a partner. This new member of the firm is a boy. Weight, 12 1-4 lbs, and bids fair to be boss of the firm.

Horace Inge received a bite from a dog, last Thursday evening, which was supposed to be afflicted with hydraphobia. He went to Anna on Friday morning to apply the McKinney madstone.

Last Saturday evening, Virgil Dockins, son of Mr. James Dockins. while working at the McKinney Cotton Seed Oil mills, had his arm badly mangled between two cog wheels. Early Sunday morning physicians amputated the limb. The accident was caused by the boy falling against the machinery.

J. Y. Turnbill and a nephew quarreled near Snow Hill one day last week. Turnbill shot at his nephew two or three times but hit wide of his mark. The nephew throwed rocks and sticks at Turnbill. Neither was hurt. Turnbill surrendered to Constable Williamson at Blue Ridge and was brought to McKinney.

If I understand it, the laboring men of this country want:
Opportunity, not preferment.
Justice, not charity.
Equality, not privilege,
Freedom, not license.
Prosperity, not affluence.
Order, not anarchy.
Reformation, not revolution.
Homes, not tenements.
Less than this in a land of plenty will not satisfy.

A little baby boy of W. G. Mattison is dangerously sick. Mrs. Mattison is a most excellent lady, a comparative stranger, her husband being but lately employed by Wylie & Baldwin and our ladies can do a grateful thing by calling and rendering sympathy.

BONHAM, Tex., Aug. 10, 1893.
I am 61 years old; been afflicted over twenty years with piles, ulcerated bowels, fissures etc., My doctors told me that they could cure. I was growing worse all the time, and was influenced to consult Dr. Reedy, of Bonham, and was treated by him February 26, and I was barely able to make it to his office. He treated me and I was greatly relieved the next morning and have been gradually growing better all the time, and although I am not entirely well yet I feel as hearty and well as I did when I was 30. I would have been in my grave had it not been for this man.
J. J. Ryon.

Our Experience.

Tuesday night was cold and dreary. The blizzard which suddenly swept down fron the north whistled keenly through the key holes of McKinney—and through our whiskers. Sleet and snow had spread its chilly mantle o'er the landscape hereabouts including the dilapidated side walks of this city, which lay innocently in all directions.

We had just finished chasing ourself around the cold room (a bachelor's hall) on a hunt for our shoes (when they are paid for) holding with a death like grip a pair of old socks. After donning the few remaining pieces of our wardrobe, we bravely faced the early Wednesday morning breeze in search of the postoffice. We had just turned around the corner at Nale & Dies but the sun shone not and the birds were not singing "a little bit." No warning voice greeted the ear of the writer. Like joining some ancient order, something unexpectedly happens at every turn.

One foot started on rather an abrupt expedition to the north pole while the other sought sunnier clime. Our head became unbalanced (something unusual!) and very suddenly came in contact with the snow and ice. "Cool headed" as ever, we adjusted the misplaced parts of our anatomy, cast a "harmonizing" smile at a few laughing Hogg and Clark democrat bystanders and proceeded cautiously on our way, resolving that we would never again try to stand on the North pole and crush a Southern blossom at the same time.

About a year ago I took a violent attack of la grippe. I coughed day and night for about six weeks; my wife then suggested that I try Chamberlains Cough Remedy. At first I could see no difference, but still kept taking it, and soon found that it was what I needed. If I got no relief from one dose I took another, and it was only a few days until I was free from the cough. I think people in general ought to know the value of this remedy, and I take pleasuse in aknowledging the benefit I have received from it. MADISON MUSTFORD, Otway, Ohio. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by R. E. BRISTOL, druggist.

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We call your attention to Berry & McDowell's new stock which they have just received.

Freaks At Anna.

ANNA, Tex., Jan. 20.—A severe wind and rain storm visited this place about 2 o'clock this morning and demolished the residence of J. D. Griffin. All miraculously escaped injury. The house furniture was damaged about $600.

W. A. Portman's barn was struck by lightning, killing a valuable horse and several Logs. Mr. Portman reports that a number of chickens were stripped clean of their feathers, but strange to say, they were otherwise uninjured. A number of other outhouses were overturned, but damages small.

Notes From Viney Grove No. 2.

VINEY GROVE No. 2, Jan. 20
Editor Democrat.
Health is very good in this community with the exception of a few cases of la grippe.

Mr. Elliott has moved his saw mill back to our community and invites his old customers to call.

Misses Sally Key and Linnie Martin were the guests ot Miss Rosa Long and Mrs. Westbrook this week.

Messrs Tucker and Sledge attended the Collin County alliance, at Maxwell last Wednesday.

Miss Anna Williams has been visiting friends in Farmersville this week.

Our school is improving rapidly.

Best wishes to THE DEMOCRAT.
A TEXAS GIRL.

The Packard is the best.

Those who are behind with THE DEMOCRAT are requested to settle at once. WE NEED THE MONEY.

BONHAM, Tex., Dec. 29, 1893
This is to certify that I have been treated by Dr. T. C. Reedy foor rectum trouble, and will say I have not only been benefited but cured, and am a sound man again, and will say to others so afflicted to try him and be convinced as I have been. I have also found him a gentleman in all respects. If he cannot cure you he will hesitate to tell you so. I consider him a safe man to deal with and can recommend him to the afflicted generally.
Very respectfully yours,
JAS. H. WILLIARD.

Frozen to Death.

Just as we go to press we learn that J. H. Isbell, or Altoga was frozen to death about eight miles east of McKinney, near the Sam Henderson farm on Stiff creek. He had been to McKinney on Tuesday and late that evening he started for home with a load of lumber. He was not found until one o'clock Wednesday evening having laid out all Tuesday night during the blizzard. His wagon and team was near by while he lay a corpse with both hands clasped to his breast.

Some good people are so kind that their generosity makes them troublesome.

The persistant cough which usually follows an attack of the grippe can be permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. W. A. McGuire, of McKay, Ohio, says; "La grippe left me with a severe cough. After using several different medicines without relief, I tried Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which effected a permanent cure. I also found it to be without an equal for children, when troubled with colds or croup. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by R. E. BRISTOL, druggist.

Dr. W J. Thurmond's Catarrh Cure and Blood Syrup.

These two remedies, so well and favorably known throughout Texas and the South-West, are again being put before the people by Dr, Thurmond himself. These great remedies have become so popular that to avoid imitation the Doctor has changed the wrapper by adding a photograph of himself and his signature, and hereafter none of these medicines are genuine without the photograph and signature. Sold by Smith Bros., R. E. Bristol and J. B. Dodson & Co.

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About colds and coughs in the summer time. You may have a tickling cough or a little cold or baby may have the croup and when it comes you ought to know that Park's cough Syrup is the best cure for it. Sold by Smith Bros.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the following named gentlemen, subject to the action of the democratic party.

For County Judge.
R. C. White.

Weston Teacher's Association.

Weston Teachers' Association will be held at Lone Star school house on Feb. 2, 1894.

PROGRAMME.

Welcome address—T. E. Cleere.
Response—W. F. Barnett.
Analysis and Parsing—S. C. Stevens.
The Model Scool Room—W. M. Erwin.
Fractions—W. F. Barnett and W. L. Page.
Primary language—C. C. Cross.
Advanced Reading—Mr. Kemper.
Physiology—Marion Brown.

Collin County Grocery Store.

Little Elm Items.

LITTLE ELM, Texas, Jan. 20.
Editor Democrat:
This country was blessed with a fine rain last night. Our farmers are well up with their work.

Mr. George Hawkins, who has been very low for a long time, is recovering. Erndia, the little four-year-old daughter of Mr. J. R. Kidd, is very sick with la grippe. Joe Robertson is down with pneumonia.

Deputy Grand Master, W. J. Lacy, of the I. O. O. F., was here Thursday.

Deputy sheriff Sam Hawkins of Denton, was in our city this week.

Miss Kate Mercer, one of Denton's social lights, was visiting her sister, Mrs M. F. Brashears, at this place the fore part of the week.

Rev. Bulmein, a holiness preacher, formerly of Cook county, has located in this vicinity.

Mr. B. M. Fuqua has returned from a holiday trip to his old home in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Waterman of McKinney, were visiting the parents of Mrs. Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holmes.

This county has raised a fine crop of "farm record agents."
ADA.

For the best of perfumes see Erwin & Fant.

Receiver Joe Waddill, of the North Texas Elevator, Co., of this city brought suit against stockholders for 50 per cent of watered stock. According to report, the cases were tried before Judge M. G. Abernathy, who instructed the jury to find against all of them.

The cases were appealed and the court of civil appeals have held it was right. This will probably be of benefit to farmers who had wheat in the elevator.

Boarders Wanted.

Mrs A. C. Cheek will want a few boarders from 1st of February at house north of Presbyterian church. Can furnish a few good rooms. Persons wishing board by the month in a private family should see her and arrange in advance, as the number will be limited.

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During the last campaign a Clark rally was in progress at Van Alstyne, when an enthusiastic merchant of that city offered to sell wagons, at double price, payable when Clark was elected. A gentleman bought a couple and got one before the election. After the election the purchaser for whom the wagon was bought sued the merchant for the wagon. On the trial of the case, befor Jesse Coffey, the merchant was asked on the witness stand if it was a bet. He answered, "it was a bet." The result was a fine on the merchant. The gentleman who claimed the wagon was brought into Uncle Jessie's court on the charge of betting. The defendant declared that Collin county had no jurisdiction over alleged betting occuring in Grayson county, consequently he got judgment for the amount of the wagon due him. The case was appealed to the county court and affirmed, thence to the civil court of appeals and affirmed again, thus settling the wagon question.

The Blizzard.

The long looked for, much expected and duly hoped for blizzard, is here in all of its grandure and beauty, with all of its contingences. On last Tuesday evening a slight norther with rain set in and at night fall a cold arctic wave shivered o'er our fair Texas land. Mercury suddenly shifted its position from fairy summer heights and rose tinted marks on the scale, to ice be sprangled scrolls below zero. The storm bellowed, the sleet rattled, stock shivered, flowers withered and the denisons of our city sought the warmest places that nature and artificial means could supply. Pumps and pipes to machinery froze up, vessels filled with liquids expanded and bursted, flowers withered and put on a puny, sickly appearance, while the festive pedestrian kicked his heels wildly in the air and bumped the earth with his pants.

Upon the whole it was a great blizzard that hit a great country, at a great time, in a great way and the only wonder is that we are getting over it in such a great way.

In this issue may be found the announcement of R. C. White for County Judge. Mr. White is an upright honorable citizen and any aid he may receive will be highly appreciated. He is subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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The Parlin & Orenduff Co., successors to R. E. Carpenter in the implement business, will continue business at the old stand, on West Louisiana street Thanking my friends and acquaintances for their liberal patronage in the past, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same as I am in the employ of the Parlin & Orenduff Co.
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REV. THOMAS DICKSON OF NEW YORK PLEADS FOR A BETTER SOCIAL SYSTEM.

From a Recent Sermon of Rev. Thos. Dickson, of New York, We Quote the Following:

"It is said that the total number of Africans who are annually forced into slavery by the Arab wretches amount to nearly 2,000,000. With all our advance in Christian civilization, human slavery is yet an awful fact. It is as if a Georgia, Iowa or Michigan were entirely transported into slavery. This is bad enough, and for it Christendom is really responsible. And yet this is the least sorrow of humanity under the slave problem of to-day, for while 2,000,000 Africans are taken from a low, savage condition and sold into slavery, countless millions of white boys and girls are being born into the most hopeless slavery under which men can labor. They are being born to struggle in the vicious undertow of our present social order. It is a lie to assert that they have an equal chance to become capitalists instead of mere wage earners. A doggerel poem recently published has stated with more emphasis and pathos than art this great fact:

'You hadn't ought to blame a man fer
things he hasn't done,
Fer books he hasn't written er fer
fights he hasn't won.
The waters may look placid on the surface all 'round.
An' yet there may be an undertow
a-keepin him down.

Since the days of Eve and Adam, when
the fight of life began,
It ain't been safe, my brethern, fer to
lightly judge a man.
He may be tryin faithful fer to make
his life a go,
An' yet his legs get tangled in the
treach'rous undertow.

He may not lack in learnin, an' he
may not want fer brains;
He may be always workin' with the
patientest of pains,
An yet go unrewarded, an, my friends,
how can we know
What heights he might a-climbed up to
but fer the undertow?

You've heard the Yankee story of the
hen's nest with a hole,
An how the hen kep' layin eggs, with
all her might and soul,
Yet never a settin' nor a single egg I
trow?
That hen was simply kickin 'gin a hidden undertow.

There's holes in lots of hen's nests, and
you've got to peep below,
To see the eggs a-rollin where they
hadn't ought to go.
Don't blame a man fer failin to achieve
a laurel crown,
Until you are sure the undertow ain't
draggin of him down.'

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I appeal for a soul to society. As a social organism we need to be conscious of our being. We are acting as though we were in a dream. We are merely drifting towards these transformations. Could we but gain consciencousness of of our organic life we could move forward with gigantic strides. Let no man be frightened with the cry of paternalism. Whether paternalism be good or evil depends entirely upon who the pater is. We need a more thoughtful citizenship. To study our relations and our obligations to one another. Let the man who believes in individualism take note of his present inconsistent and untenable position."

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CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

THE HOUSE.

JOHNSON HIGHLY DELIGHTED.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Mr. Tom Johnson's amendment to the Wilson bill was defeated to-day by a vote of 100 to 79. This amendment provided for putting steel rails on the free list. Before the vote was had differences between Mr. Johnson and Mr. Dalzell had to be settled. Mr Dalzell charged Mr. Johnson yesterday with knowingly misstating facts and changing his statements on the floor for the record. To-day Mr. Johnson replied that he had made an error in his remarks and afterwards told Mr. Dalzell of the mistake. In his speech Mr Dalzell concealed this fact and Mr. Johnson acquitted himself before the house of any wrong when he made this statement. The misstatements made by Mr. Johnson were insignificant and were a molehill out of which Mr. Dalzell labored mightily to make a mountain.

Mr. Johnson was highly delighted at the treatment his amendment received at the hands of the democrats. He said to The News correspondent; "There were seventy-nine democrats voted with and seventy five against me. Protectionist Wilson had to appeal to protectionist Reed to save him and protectionist Reed nobly responded."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19—The house is making slow progress with the amendments to the tariff bill. Only one week more remains and less than twenty amendments to about 1000 paragraphs have been disposed of. The argument between Mr. Johnson and Mr Dalzell over the proposition to put steel rails on the free list continued to-day. When the vote came the amendment was defeated, but only forty democrats voted with their colleagues of the committee, while seven voted with Johnson and the radicals.

At the opening session of the house the report of the committee on elections in favor of O'Neil, the contestant in the contested election case of O'Neil vs Joy, was presented and ordered printed.

The consideration of the tariff bill was then resumed, the pending amendment being that of Mr. Johnson to place steel rails on the free list.

Before Mr. Dalzell was allowed to proceed with his speech, begun yesterday, Mr. Wilson asked the unanimous consent that three hours be set aside next Monday for the consideration of the amendments to the sugar schedule. This was agreed to.

Mr. Dalzell began by recapitulating the charges he had made against Mr. Johnson. He had shown, he said, that Mr Johnson manufactured certain kinds of steel railway rails behind the protection of 1890 patents and wanted railway rails to go on the free list; that he coerced his employes in the face of winter and starvation into accepting wages one third cash and two-thirds scrip; that he made an untrue statement and had altered the stenographer's notes, and lastly, that the scrip had been hacked about the streets of Johnstown and had been bought at a discount by a relative of Mr. Johnson before it was redeemed at par.

Johnson replied to Dalzell in a semi-humorous vein. He said he had notified Dalzell that he was going to attack the steel rail pool so that he might be prepared, but instead of making a defense he made a personal attack upon him (Johnson) He (Johnson) did not claim to be a philanthropist.

The Johnson amendment to put steel rails on the free list was lost—79 to 100.

In the course of the debate Mr. Dalzell said: "I desire to say further that I do not believe he (Mr Johnson) pays higher wages than his neighbors. I have this on the authority of the president of the Cambria iron works. When all else is gone," said Mr. Dalzell, "one arrow is left in the quiver of free trade demagogue—abuse of Carnegie. [Republican applause.] Johnson and Carnegie stand on the same.

"Johnson and Carnegie stand in the same category. They are both robber barons. Both have grown rich, but there the similarity ceases. [Applause.] In the midst of the prevailing distress Carnegie, the true philanthropist, is giving $5000 a day for the relief of the poor in Pittsburg, while the false philanthropist from Cleveland takes advantage of the winter's blast to dicker about the wages of his employes. [Applause] Mr. Johnson," he continued sarcastically, "has waxed fat on the watered stock of his street railroads. His bank account is swelled by the manufacture of rails under the protection of patents. All this, I suppose, can be done outside of this chamber without criticism. [Applause.] But so long as I have a voice here," he continued, "no one shall be allowed to masquerade as a philanthropist and with shameless and unblushing effrontery propose to strike down a rival interest."

The republicans applauded Mr. Dalzell to the echo when he sat down and the member docked over to the democratic side to listen to Mr. Johnson's reply to the bitter personal assault of his antagonist.

"The question before the committee is whether steel rails shall go on the free list," began Mr. Johnson calmly. "I have listened to the fearful tirade against myself and my partner, but even confessing that all he says is true that offers no reason why rails should not go on the free list. [Applause.] The personal side of this controversy was not brought into this house by me. I notified Mr. Dalzell three days ago that I intended to do what I have done, so that he might prepare to defend the steel rail pool. Instead of arming himself with arguments he has brought pins here to stick into me. [Laughter.] With reference to the personal charges he has made, I desire to address myself briefly. The first that I am a monopolist I plead guilty. [Laughter.] The next is that I am manufacturing a class of rails protected by 102 patents and would not be affected by free rails. We only have twenty or thirty patents on rails. We tried to perpetuate the monopoly and control the market, but the courts decided against us. That threw us open to home competition. My amendment proposes to put girder rails on the free list so that we will be open to the world's competition [Applause.]

Mr. Johnson went on to explain that the alternative was to reduce wages or close the mills entirely, as was done at Sparrows Point, Md. As to the grave charges that in changing the record he had practiced a deceit upon the house, he explained that when he made his speech he was totally unprepared to answer the question Mr. Dalzell propounded to him. When he went home and consulted his records he found he was slightly in error and he made the change to which Mr. Dalzell had alluded, but the first thing he had done the next day was to inform Mr. Dalzell of that fact. [Prolonged democratic applause.] Was it fair, he inquired, for the gentleman from Pennsylvania not to mention that fact when he charged me with deceit? [Renewed applause] The gentleman had been so hard pressed, continued Mr. Johnson, that he had lugged in his wicked partner, Arthur J. Moxham. Mr. Moxham, although not a naturalized citizen, said he, when the flood at Johnstown left 12,000 people in the water and 3000 drowned, was chosen director, he fed the living and buried the dead. [Applause.] It was also true that he had purchased an engine in England because he could not get it here until after five months after the Englishman agreed to deliver it. In this five months he had paid out $175,000 in wages. [Applause] The purchase of that engine had benefitted American labor. The other personalities had been brought into this controversy by the eloquent advocate of the steel rail trust to cloud the argument. In all seriousness, he declared that this steel rail pool was only typical of other protected trusts, the existence of some of which was perhaps not so easy to prove as this, In concluding he appealed to all the democrats to destroy these vampires that were sucking the life blood out of the people.

Mr. Bland, democrat, of Missouri, declared that free rails would enable many roads to repair their roads and take many out of the hands of the receivers.

Mr. Wilson, the chairman of the committee, toook a position against Mr. Johnson. He and many other democrats had, no doubt, sympathized with much Mr. Johnson had said, but they could not afford to go off in a great question like this at half cock. There were, he declared no friends of the steel rail pool among those who framed this schedule. The steel rail schedule had been dealt with in the same spirit of fairness as other schedules had been. In conclusion Chairman Wilson urged upon his democratic colleagues the necessity of preserving the whole scheme of the bill.

Messrs. Cannon, republican of Ilinois, Wagner, republican of Pensylvania, argued against the Johnson amendment.

Mr Dunn, democrat of New Jersey, said Mr. Johnson was a mighty good fellow personally but an unsafe and erratic leader to follow. He was opposed emphatically to his free trade doctrines. He did not want the tail of the democratic party to wag the dog.

Mr. Hopkins, republican of Illinois, offered an amendment to the amendment to restore existing rates on steel rails This was lost without a division.

The vote was taken on Mr. Johnson's free rail amendment which was defeated by a vote of 100 to 79.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Only one amendment to the tariff bill was argued to-day relating to the tin plate schedule. It was unimportant, however, affecting not the rates, but the technicalities of the bill.

Mr. Henderson's amendment to substitute the existing rates on agricultural products, the Dingly amendment to change the rates on tin from 10 percent ad valorem to a specific duty of six cents per 100 pounds, and the Crain amendment to reduce the duties on cotton and woolen goods from 45 to 25 per cent. were lost

At 11:50 the president's secretary appeared with the Hawaiian message and the veto of the New York and New Jersey bridge bill.

Reference in the message of transmission to the remarkable letter of President Dole to Minister Willis caused great curiosity in the house, and Mr. Hitt, leader of the republican minority of the committe on foreign affairs, asked that the letter be read. Objection was made. While the reading was progressing the members of both sides crowded around the speaker's rostrum, listening eagerly to the protest of the Dole government against the action of Minister Willis. At the conclusion of the reading the message and the accompanying documents were referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

The house then resolved itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of the tariff bill. The interest in tariff, however, had plainly departed, and members stood apart in groups, discussing the Hawaiian message and correspondence.

At 5:30 the committee arose and the house recessed until 8 o'clock with an important amendment by Mr. Hitt, pending, the subject of which was to force Canada to admit free our coal in return for free admission of Canadian coal in the United States.

When the house resumed its session to-night Mr. Talbot, democrat spoke in favor of the bill and was followed by C. W. Stone, republican of Pennsylvania, in opposition. Mr Boatner, democrat of Louisana, then censured the ways and means committee for reporting the bill, which he asserted savored so much of a protective policy.

Mr Boatner thought that the ways and means committee should have placed a duty on sugar, instead of maintaining a bounty on the article

Mr Strong, republican, of Ohio spoke in opposition to the bill, as did Mr Wheeler, republican of Illinois, after which the house adjourned.

Dr. S. B. Hartman.

President of the Surgical Hotel of Columbus, Ohio, is about to visit New Orleans, La., on important professional business. He will take advantage of the occasion to make a flying trip through Texas in order to see a few of the patients under his treatment in the state All of his old patients will doubtless be glad to learn that they will have an opportunity to see the doctor again. People wishing to consult him for the first time, as well as those who desire to make any inquiry of him concerning his famous institution, the Surgical Hotel, will have an apportunity to do so at the following named places on the dates specified: At the St. Charles Hotel, New Orleans, La., Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 5th and 6th, 1894—At the Beach Hotel, Galveston, Tex., Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 10th and 11th—At the Menger Hotel, San Antonio, Tex., Tuesday Feb. 13th—At the Driscoll Hotel, Austin, Tex., Friday, Feb. 16th—At the Pacific Hotel, Waco, Tex., Sunday and Monday, Feb. 18th and 19th—At the Arlington Inn, Ft. Worth, Tex., Tuesday, Feb. 20th—At the Oriental Hotel, Dallas, Tex., Thursday, Feb. 22nd, and will immediately return to the Surgical Hotel, Columbus, Ohio, where he will arrive on Saturday, Feb. 25.

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JUDGE THOMAS L. NUGENT.

Looks for Radical Political and Social Changes in the Next Ten Years.

(DALLAS NEWS Jan. 19.)

Judge Thomas L. Nugent of Fort Worth came over to Dallas yesterday and was casually seen by a News reporter, to whom he said: "I came here on business and have not time to dabble in politics." In the course of the conversation that followed Judge Nugent said: "From what I can learn the people's party is gaining strength rapidly in Texas. Since the last campaign it has gained strength very rapidly. After 100 years' experience, with the changes that have taken place in that century, is it not time for the nation to change its old forms? I think there are going to be radical changes in the social and political conditions of this country within the next ten years—changes that the people now can hardly anticipate.

"I think the tariff may have some effect on the next campaign. If the democrats had the courage of their convictions and had given a consistent tariff bill, adopting a tariff for revenue only and carrying it out without seeking to pander to special interests, it would have added very greatly to democratic chances for success in the next campaign, but as the thing stands now I do not see how the democrats can claim to be any better in principle than the republicans. The democrats have recognized protection, and having done that they are in no condition to fight republican protection, and as between a consistent protective policy and an inconsistent revenue reform policy, which recognizes the principle of protection all the way through and endeavoring to cheat the people by adopting the free list to some extent, the people will find it difficult to make a choice. Some time ago I read an editorial in The Dallas News on this subject that, it seems to me, struck the keynote. I think the position of The Dallas News is logically correct, with one exception—it is not for absolute free trade, and I am a free trader from top to bottom. How in thunder can a democrat reconcile high protection for the New England manufacturer with free imported wool? Strike down one of the great industries of Texas to encourage a New England industry! It is discrimination in favor of one class against another. This whole declaration in favor of free raw material is an absolute fraud. When put upon the basis recognized by the Wilson bill, wool is not raw material. It is the product of labor, skill and capital, and if labor invested in the production of wool does not deserve protection, how can you say that the manufacturer of that wool into goods, which is only another form into which labor is ultimated, can deserve protection? There is no necessary war between labor and capital, and there would not be upon any consistent policy. I agree with The News in its free trade ideas upon the money question."

"Judge, can your friends vote for you for governor this year?" The News reporter inquired, and Judge Nugent answered:

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